

REMARKS

Claims 6-8, 10, 15-17, 20, 23-28 and 32 are currently pending in the application. Claims 1-5, 9, 11-14, 18, 19, 21, 22, 29-31 and 33 are cancelled.

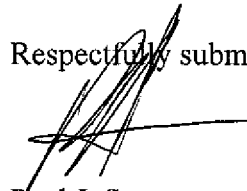
The allowance of claims 20 and 23-28 is noted with appreciation. Claims 6, 10 and 15 are amended to be in independent form. Original claims 7 and 8 depend from claim 6 and original claims 16 and 17 depend from claim 15. Claim 32 is amended to avoid the noted objection.

It is our understanding that all of the claims now in the application are in allowable form.

Applicant believes that the application is now in condition for allowance. Early and favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that any additional issues may be resolved by a telephone interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned attorney.

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required for the amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1561 of Greenberg Traurig, LLP. In the event that an extension of time is required to make this amendment timely filed, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this amendment timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit an overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-1561 of Greenberg Traurig LLP.

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